

Street-Corner Santa Tires Of Being 'Ho-Ho-Ho!' Man

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 — The oldest street-corner Santa in New York city is a disillusioned bachelor who finds it an effort to "Ho-Ho-Ho!" Ten years ago, Henry Windeler was a good "Ho-Ho-Ho!" man. He was young (63), well-paid (\$4 a day) and idealistic (liked kids). Today, at his papier mache chimney on 42nd Street, he is bitter, because: (1) Little girls pull his whiskers. (2) Little boys are too smart for their knickers. (3) Salvation Army musicians get all the attention. "This is the worst year I've seen yet," mumbled Santa Windeler. "The weather's been worse before—but the people have never been this bad." In his job as jolly representative for the Mission Tabernacle of the Volunteers of America, he insists he has to "do more work than those inside Santas." He stands out in the cold—they sit on warm padded thrones. Furthermore, he has to get contributions from the mothers of the kids he banters with instead of the other way around. "Business is awful," he groans. "Used to be I'd get 20 bucks in a half-day. Now I'm lucky to get 20 for eight hours!" Sometimes, he says, he wishes he could move his chimney out to Fifth Avenue. "Meet a wealthier class of people over there, see?" Windeler volunteered for St. Nick duty 10 years ago after he lost his job in the grocery business, his profession for 25 years. He was a "natural" for the job. Col. William R. Apetz, who hired him, reports that he never had to be padded, keeps regular hours, is a non-drinker and always limits his lunch hour to 25 minutes. But the "Santa" himself knows he's no living version of the spirit of Christmas. "I've gotten too tired of this 'aw, you ain't Santa Claus' business," he says. "I get too tired of asking what they want for Christmas and having the kids say something like 'I want corned beef and cabbage, how's that?' These kids today—they've changed." After getting all this off his ample chest, Windeler squatted down and had a heart-to-heart chat with a five-year-old blonde. "See what I got to do to get a contribution?" he said as she trotted away. Then looking after her, he added: "Never was lucky enough to have a family myself."

Tojo, 6 Other Jap Warlords Finally Swing

Hangings Are Carried Out Today On Gallows Of Prison In Tokyo

TOKYO, Dec. 23—(Thursday)—Japan's Pearl Harbor premier, Hideki Tojo, and six other top Japanese war makers were hanged on the gallows at Tokyo's Sugamo prison early today for crimes against peace and humanity. The seven executions were carried out in strict secrecy within 34 minutes, beginning at one minute past midnight and ending at 12:35 a. m. Besides Tojo, who ranked second only to Adolf Hitler in the worldwide Axis triumvirate, those put to death were Kenji Doihara, Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, Gen. Heitaro Kimura, Gen. Iwane Matsui, Gen. Akira Muto and Former Premier Koki Hirota. The men paid with their lives for war crimes of which they were found guilty by an 11-nation Allied Far East tribunal. The U. S. Army announcement said: "Between 12:01 and 12:35 a. m. today all seven of the war criminals that were condemned by the international military tribunal of the Far East were hanged." Tojo, premier at the time of the attack at Pearl Harbor and through the war, was ranked as a top war criminal in a class with Hitler and Mussolini. Doihara, 64, was Japan's "Lawrence of Manchuria." He plotted the 1931 incident at Mukden that launched Japan's war of conquest against China. Gen. Itagaki, 62, former war minister, commanded Japanese troops at Singapore where thousands of Allied prisoners were tortured and murdered. GEN. KIMURA, 59, was held responsible for the atrocities committed on Allied war prisoners in Burma. He was vice-minister of war in the Tojo cabinet. Gen. Matsui was charged with the responsibility for 1938 rape of Nanking, during which 200,000 persons were butchered in six weeks. Gen. Muto, 55, was chief of staff for Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, Japanese army leader in the Philippines. Hirota, 65, drew up the master blueprint for the Japanese invasions of China. Newsmen had maintained a "round-the-clock 'death watch'" at the prison since the U. S. Supreme Court Monday rejected an appeal by some of the doomed men on the grounds that it had no jurisdiction over the in-

Chief, Mayor Subpoenaed

Liquor Hearing Due Jan. 6

Subpoenas were handed Circleville Mayor Thurman I. Miller and Chief of Police William McCrady here Tuesday demanding their appearance at a state liquor hearing in Columbus Jan. 6. The hearing is to determine whether Circleville Moose lodge's liquor permit shall be revoked, Mayor Miller said. Delivered by Pickaway Sheriff Charles Radcliff, the subpoenas apparently call for testimony by the two city officials at the revocation hearing. According to lodge officials, the local organization "has been trying to get rid of the permit" since the first of last November. Lodgemen said the permit had been sent back to the state department of liquor control at least twice. Each time, the state office returned the permit.

Murder Hinted In Death Of Ex-Diplomat

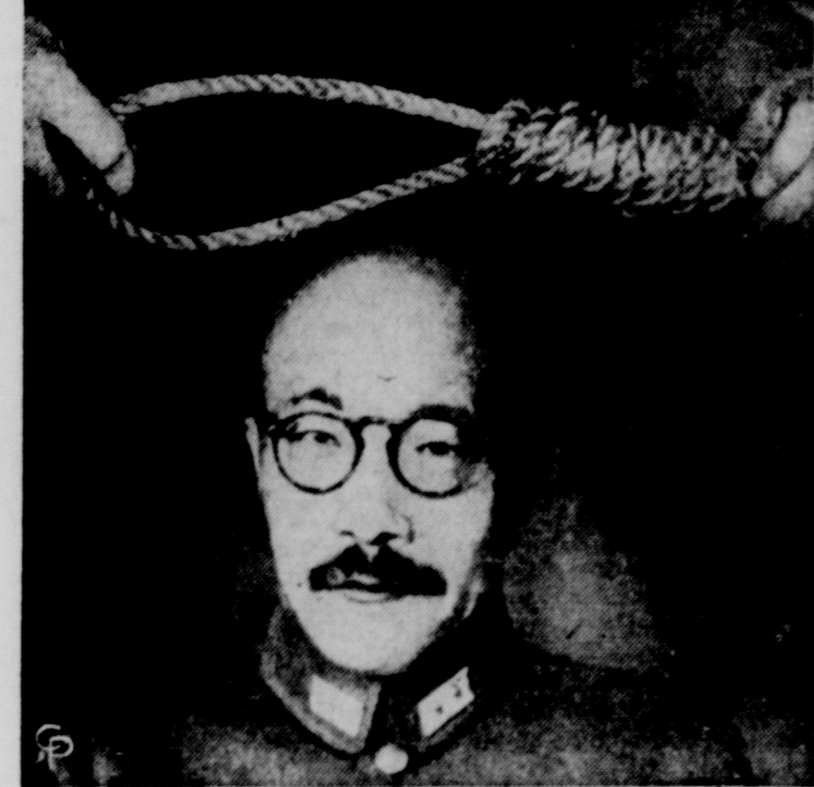
NEW YORK, Dec. 22—A direct appeal from Sumner Welles to Mayor William O'Dwyer touched off today an intensified investigation to determine if Lawrence Duggan, 43-year-old diplomat, may have been murdered. Welles, former under secretary of state and once the boss of the young State Department Latin-American affairs expert, made his plea to the New York mayor in a telegram. Duggan who was questioned by the FBI ten days before he hurtled to death from his 16th-floor New York office Monday night, was linked in Washington testimony to the prewar Communist spy ring. But Welles described Duggan as an extremely loyal public servant. (Continued on Page Two)

Bloodmobile Due Here Feb. 28

American Red Cross Bloodmobile is slated to make a return visit to Circleville Feb. 28. The unit will again be stationed in the basement of First Methodist church. Karl Johnson, local blood program chairman, said Wednesday he was disappointed at the turnout for the unit's first visit here Monday. He said less than half of the 100-pint quota set for this area was filled at the initial visit. However, he says he expects the second attempt to be much more successful. "We can expect at least the same persons back," said Johnson, "since they found that the whole procedure is so simple and well handled. I'm sure we'll go over the top next time."

Heavy Explosions Rock Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, Dec. 22—Heavy explosions and the rattle of small arms fire broke the calm of Jerusalem's truce for a brief period today. A United Nations official said the disturbance occurred in the region of Beir Abu Tor, a village held half by Arabs and half by Jews. It lies directly south of Jerusalem's old city.



THAT NOOSE dangling over the little man's head has dropped and tightened until no life remained. The little man is Hideki Tojo, premier of Japan who gave the order for the attack on Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941. Remember? Tojo also was the little man who declared he would dictate terms of Peace after World War II in the White House. Tojo, along with his fellow warlords, paid with his life for crimes against peace and humanity.

Council Sets 1949 Budget Total At \$233,728.17

Circleville city council Tuesday night approved its annual appropriation budget for 1949 and earmarked \$233,728.17 for operating expenses. This was \$1,725.89 less than sanctioned for this year. Members of the finance committee explained, however, that these figures were elastic and that amendments to the appropriation ordinance would be made when necessary. Council last year appropriated \$235,514.06 for operational and other expenditures of the city in 1948. However, major changes in seven departments allowed for a revision of figures, it was pointed out. Following are outstanding differences in the two annual budgets: A new appropriation assigns \$1,970 to the city auditor. That office was not included in last year's budget. Increase of \$7,370 for police to allow for pay raises and two new members to force, and \$3,200 increase for fire department permitting pay raises now in force. AN INCREASE in the 1949 appropriation of \$11,342.58 was made for Berger hospital fund and \$12,220.25 added to water department expenditures. At the same time, \$2,365.45 less was allotted in 1949 for the fire alarm system; and \$1,570 was in the 1948 budget for parking meters that was not set aside for next year. Following is a list of expenditures set down in the approved budget for 1949 and 1948 respectively: Council—\$975 and \$975; clerk of council—\$385 and \$385; mayor—\$1220 and \$1,100; auditor—\$1,970 and none last year; treasurer—\$630 and \$630; solicitor— (Continued on Page Two)

Council Transfers Hospital Fund To Buy Supplies

Under emergency ruling, Circleville city council Tuesday night passed an ordinance to transfer \$2,500 from Berger hospital fund into other funds for supplies and salary. The ruling was declared an emergency for health and safety since the smaller funds were declared nearly exhausted. Council's ordinance allows \$1,500 for provisions; \$600 for supplies and \$400 for the superintendent's salary. The bill was passed unanimously 6-0 in the absence of Councilman Ralph Wallace. City council also reinstated its sewage contract for 1949 with the Circleville plant of Container Corporation of America. The ordinance agrees to continue serving the plant for \$475 per month. President pro-tem Ray Cook explained that the same flat rate charge has been in the company's contract with the city for the last few years. The bill which provides for the treatment of water from the plant which is discharged into the sewage system was passed without dissent on the council floor.

CIO Boss Defies Probe Subpoena

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—CIO President Philip Murray failed to appear today before a one-man House labor subcommittee which subpoenaed him to testify on a Michigan labor dispute. Rep. Hoffman, (R) Mich., the subcommittee member, immediately referred the matter to Attorney General Clark, but declared he would not ask the Justice department to "prosecute anyone." Murray announced yesterday that he would defy the subpoena which directed Murray to appear for questioning in connection with a raid on plants of the Shakespeare Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., by members of CIO unions. She lives in a beautifully-furnished home in the fashionable suburb of Shaker Heights. Her husband has always earned good money, and admittedly, she has "absolutely no reason for stealing."

ECA Java Aid Cut By America

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—Economic Cooperation Administration Hoffman announced today that all Marshall Plan aid to the Netherlands East Indies has been halted because of hostilities now raging. The ECA chief said the action was taken because it is impossible to determine whether further aid to Indonesia will meet its designed purpose, which is to aid economic recovery.

LIQUOR CONTACT MAN'S ARREST DEMANDED HERE

NETHERLANDS CLAIMS MAJOR GAINS

Dutch Say Indonesia Battles Being Inspired By Commies

PARIS, Dec. 22—The Netherlands denounced Indonesian republicans as "Communist-dominated" today and told the UN Security Council it has no right to interfere in the Indonesian fighting. Dutch Delegate Dr. J. H. Van Royen defended the attack on the Indonesian republic as "police action" made necessary by terrorism. He told the council that in the weeks preceding the Dutch military action Sunday an average of 50 Indonesians and Dutch nationals were murdered by republican terrorists weekly. Van Royen charged that the Indonesian troubles were fomented by Communists and are linked up "with Communist strife throughout East Asia." Van Royen declared: "The whole nation except the Communist Party stands behind the military action. Having taken the hard decision my nation is determined to carry it out no matter what the costs or consequences." HE CHALLENGED the council to ask the International Court of Justice whether it can interfere with the Netherlands' military move. The Dutch delegate asserted that under the UN charter the Indonesian question is a purely "domestic" question, and that any UN action would violate the sovereignty of the Netherlands. He accused the republican government of "relying on Communists for support" and of "permitting the establishment of strong Communist organization in Indonesia, the purpose of which is to turn Indonesia into a Communist state." Van Royen declared that the Dutch are now merely attempting to "restore law and order" in Java and Sumatra. He added that once this is done Holland pledges to strive to establish a self-governing "united states of Indonesia" under the Dutch crown. Meanwhile, U. S. delegates prepared to introduce a resolution calling for an immediate halt to the Indonesian fighting. American sources disclosed that the U. S. delegation has decided to ask only for new Security Council cease-fire orders. Previously, U. S. delegates had demanded that the council condemn the establishment of (Continued on Page Two)



STRONG DUTCH FORCES push 40 miles to the edge of the key Javanese oil center of Tjepoe and make similar rapid gains elsewhere in their multi-pronged offensive on Java and Sumatra against little or no resistance from Indonesian Republican army troops such as these pictured wearing Japanese helmets and other odds and ends of equipment.

Grandma Nabbed As Pickpocket

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22 — Mrs. Cordelia Morrison, 62-year-old grandmother, is back in jail today—arrested for the eighth time on a charge of picking pockets. And Cleveland police are mystified as to why the woman stages her beyond-the-law forays. She lives in a beautifully-furnished home in the fashionable suburb of Shaker Heights. Her husband has always earned good money, and admittedly, she has "absolutely no reason for stealing."

1,800 School Kiddies Starting 11-Day Christmastime Vacation

Nearly 1,800 Circleville school pupils were dismissed from their chores Wednesday noon to begin an 11-day holiday vacation. Police Chief William F. McCrady, eyeing the carefree youngsters bouncing over the city's streets, urged motorists to be more careful and watchful during the holiday season. "Kids have a tendency to disregard safety rules in general," warned the chief. "Motorists will just have to slow down a little for the next two weeks and play it safe." "Be especially careful when approaching an intersection," he warned, "and maintain moderate speeds in the outlying residential districts." He added a warning note to parents, cautioning them against permitting their children to try out the brand new football or sled on the city streets. "IF WE HAVE snow for Christmas I'm sure we can make arrangements to have a section roped off for those new sleds. But no ball games or any other kind of activity will be permitted on the city streets." In the event of snow during the holidays, McCrady told motorists they would be held responsible "if kiddies hook sled rides" on their cars. "Just be careful," he concluded, "and let's have as safe and merry a Christmas as we had last year." Several of Pickaway County's rural schools also were slated to dismiss Wednesday noon, while the bulk is to be dismissed Thursday. Exception is Salter Creek Township school, which will dismiss at 1 p. m. Friday. Dismissal dates for the others are as follows: Wednesday — Wayne, Washington, Ashville, South Bloomfield and Duval. Thursday — Atlanta, Darby, Jackson, Muhlenberg, Monroe, Madison, New Holland, Pickaway, Scioto, Walnut and Williamsport.

Police Chief Action Is Demanded

Adkins Lashes Lack Of Move

Demand that an affidavit and warrant for arrest be filed against the contact man who allegedly attempted to shake down four Circleville clubs was made in Circleville city council Tuesday night. Councilman Robert Adkins sternly reprimanded Police Chief William F. McCrady and Mayor Thurman I. Miller for not having taken such action before this time. He said: "If these papers are not filed by next council meeting, I'm going to insist that McCrady be dismissed." "In such a case," Adkins continued, McCrady should be charged with inefficiency and relieved of his command by the city civil service commission. At that point of the discussion, E. L. Montgomery stood before the council chamber and added his weight to Adkins threatened action. He said: "Mr. Adkins will find a willing ally in this corner."

ALTHOUGH Councilman Ray Anderson did not utter a word to the two-councilman bloc, he nodded approval. Councilmen Boyd Horn and Fred Brown were silent. Councilman Ralph Wallace was absent. Council President pro tem Ray Cook declared that "I guess we're pretty much in agreement." The demand that legal action be taken was made. (Continued on Page Two)

New War Cabinet Named To Guide China Over Reds

NANKING, Dec. 22—Nationalist China's top political body today approved a new "war cabinet" designed to guide the nation through the present crisis in the struggle against the Communists. The action came as surging Red armies sent raiding spearheads within 10 miles of Nanking while the defenders of isolated Peiping and Tientsin launched desperate counterattacks to save North China's two greatest cities from capture. The new "big name" cabinet of Premier Sun Fo was approved by the central political council of the Kuomintang (Nationalist Party) this morning at a meeting in Nanking. President Chiang Kai-Shek presided over the session. The Nationalist "inner cabinet" was enlarged from a membership of four to six ministers without portfolio.

2 Shopping days till Christmas

Police Chief Action Is Demanded

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tion be taken by the chief followed a reading of the liquor department's letter to Miller giving the city 30 days to "show cause" why McCrady refused to cooperate with agents in a raid on the Circleville Moose Club, and why the city's share of liquor taxes should not be withheld.

Adkins said he wanted a few questions answered before council approved the letter and placed it in the city files. He asked bluntly:

"Why hasn't an affidavit and warrant for arrest been filed against this contact man"—who purportedly represented state liquor agents in attempting to rakeoff \$1,800 "protection money" from the four clubs.

Then in answer to his own question, Adkins said:

"I think the chief of police is the logical man to file the affidavit and issue the warrant for his arrest."

"It's time Bugs (Chief McCrady) got up off his fanny and went to work."

"Once the contact man is apprehended," the councilman went on, "this man should be given a hearing and then should be bound to the grand jury."

Adkins insisted: "I want to know who's wrong—whether it's the city or state liquor department—and if no action is taken to arrest the contact man, I'm going to demand he is at every council meeting the rest of my term in office."

The councilman insisted that "there is little question about the identity of this contact man, Ed Ebert (commander of Circleville American Legion) says he was the person contacted here. He says he knows the man."

As a member of the city's finance committee, Adkins said he was vitally interested in seeing that the city does not lose the \$6,635 it receives annually in liquor license rebates.

UNLESS the city can prove that the police department has not refused to assist in enforcing legitimate liquor laws in Circleville, the liquor control board has threatened to withhold the funds.

On Dec. 14, Mayor Miller received a letter from the state notifying the city it has 30 days to file an answer to the state's charge that city police have failed to cooperate with their agents.

While no definite date was set by council for making a reply to the state setting a hearing date, a majority of councilmen favored an early answer while the present administration still is in office.

"This charge should be answered by the present state administration," Adkins declared. "They're the ones who started it. They should not be given an opportunity to pass the buck to the new administration."

"There's no reason why we should let this fall on the incoming Democratic administration. And furthermore," he added, "the longer we wait the more chance there is for the issue to die—and I certainly don't want that."

Councilman Horn attempted to persuade council that more time was needed before the city attempts to present its case to the liquor control board, but he was talked down.

"I think it's up to the mayor to direct the city solicitor to get all available evidence to defend the city in this issue with the state," Adkins said.

"And if necessary, I believe council will appropriate sufficient money to hire another attorney to represent the city should it be necessary to appeal the board's decision in Franklin county common pleas court," he said.

ADKINS REMINDED council that in a recent flareup, Mayor Miller told the city fathers, "it's none of your business" how the police operate in the city.

"Right now I'm interested in who's putting the pinch on who," Adkins said. "I want to know what's behind this shakedown attempt and charges of slot machines operating in the city. A grand jury should investigate."

Montgomery wanted to know what happened to council's resolution to place all available information in the hands of the

Mainly About People

ONE MINUTE PULPIT
Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is ready, but the flesh is weak.—Mark 14:38.

Mrs. Edward Peters was reported Wednesday to be suffering from the flu in her East Mound street home.

There will be a party for Circleville kiddies under 14 years of age on the Court House lawn at 7:30 p. m. Christmas eve. All Circleville children are invited.

Marie Wilkin, manager of the Cliftona theatre, left Tuesday for Miami Beach, Fla., where she is to rest following a recent illness.

Canadian Spruce and native pine for Christmas trees at East End Elevator.

Clyde Tackett of Kentucky was fined \$25 and costs Tuesday in the court of Mayor Thurman I. Miller for failing to produce an operator's permit. He was arrested on U. S. Route 23 by State Highway Patrolman Clyde Wells.

Wednesday night will be "Turkey Night" at the Moose Lodge when they will sponsor their weekly games party. The public is invited.

John Payne, son of Mrs. Hazel Graham, West High street, arrived home Tuesday on "boot" leave from Great Lakes naval training station. He will be at home until Jan. 7.

The Mecca Restaurant will be open Christmas Day, serving Turkey dinners.

Mrs. Clara Collins, who has been ill in her Darbyville home, is improving, friends said Wednesday.

Estate Facing Claim By State

The state of Ohio has filed a \$2,076.60 judgment suit against Ray W. Davis, administrator of Howard Whitehead estate, as payment for institutional care of Daniel R. Whitehead.

Attorney General Hugh S. Jenkins' petition alleges Davis rejected payment of a "proof claim" presented to the Circleville attorney Aug. 11, 1947.

Action which has been filed in Pickaway County common pleas court states the Howard Whitehead estate is liable for support of Daniel Whitehead who was receiving medical care in a state hospital.

Collection Suit Asks \$2,826

Suit for collection of \$2,826.98 has been filed in Pickaway County common pleas court by Lawrence Brink.

His petition claims the money is due him from John R. and Edith Hoffman for household supplies, groceries and meats which they allegedly purchased from Brink.

prosecuting attorney for possible grand jury action.

He also wanted to know if the city could call in the state's attorney general or some federal agency to investigate the alleged charges made by attorneys for McCrady and the state liquor department.

When asked why McCrady was not attending the council meeting, Adkins replied, "as usual he's made only one appearance here in a year and a half."

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HIT NO. 2
JOHNNY MACK BROWN
"CROSSED TRAILS"

"SUPERMAN"

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\$1,364 and \$1,208; advertisements—\$600 and \$300.
Civil service commission—\$200 and \$200; Safety department—\$1,025 and \$1,035; police—\$25,045

Reds Inspire War In Java

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demn the Dutch and order them to return to lines held before the outbreak of fighting Sunday. But, it was said, conversations with British and French delegates showed that the necessary seven votes to back such a move could not be obtained.

Both the British and French were reported urging the U. S. to drop pressure against the Netherlands because of their own colonial interests in the Far East.

The new U. S. resolution, which will leave the Dutch in possession of the territory they have already overrun—including the republican capital of Jogjakarta—will be introduced before the council.

MEANWHILE, in Batavia, the Dutch army claimed the capture of almost all major objectives in the Indonesian fighting.

A communique announced that the republicans' Sumatra capital, Bukittinggi, and the Java city of Soerakarta, second largest of the republic, have been occupied.

The communique added that Magelang, 40 miles west of Soerakarta, has also been captured. This would mean that the Dutch have completed encirclement of the two main mountain ranges in Central Java.

But the mountains may now become the centers of guerrilla resistance.

The communique admitted that the Indonesians have carried out their threatened "scorched earth" policy in the important oil center of Tjepoe. It said that the town and its oil wells have been set afire by "extremist gangs" before the Netherlands troops moved in.

The capture of Bukittinggi was said to have come after Dutch troops closed in from the north and south in a pincers movement.

Republican sources in Singapore denied the Dutch claim and asserted Bukittinggi is still in native hands.

Dutch army spokesmen said that Soerakarta also was taken in a pincers movement, with mechanized Dutch brigades sweeping from Semarang in Northern Java to link up with paratroopers who pushed up from Jogjakarta in the south.

150 Youngsters Feted By Lodge

One hundred fifty children were entertained by Scioto Elks lodge around a community tree Tuesday evening in African Methodist Episcopal church.

Treats were provided at the Christmas party by officers and directors of the lodge. Melvin Bass is exalted ruler of the lodge.

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DEATHS and Funerals

CRIT L. BLACK

Crit Leroy Black, 62, who for six months operated a grocery store at Pickaway and Walnut streets, suffered a heart attack while waiting on a customer in the store and died almost instantly at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Prior to operating the grocery, he was a farmer and at one time was caretaker of Jackson Township school building.

A native of Ross county, he made a home in an addition to his Circleville store.

He is survived by his widow, Lillie Parcells Black of the home; his mother, Mrs. Minnie Dumm; two sons, Leo W. and Lewis J. Black; and a daughter, Mrs. Fred Weffler of Circleville.

Services will be at 2 p. m. Thursday in Deffenbaugh Funeral Home with the Rev. L. S. Metzler officiating. Burial will be in Maple Hill cemetery, Stoutsville.

Friends may call in the funeral home after 6 p. m. Wednesday.

WILLIAM J. HOUSEL

William J. House, 65, a native of Kingston and an attorney in Columbus 37 years, died in the Ohio capital city Monday.

He left Kingston when he was 18 years of age and was graduated by Ohio State university.

He is survived by his widow, Merle; and a sister, Mrs. A. C. Eggert, both of Columbus.

Services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday in Feil Funeral Home, Columbus, with burial in Union cemetery.

MRS. HAZEL DOCKARD

Mrs. Hazel Cockrell Dockard, 43, of Chillicothe died in her home. She is a sister to Forrest Cockrell of East Water street, Circleville.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday in Ware funeral home, Chillicothe, with burial near that city. Friends may call at the funeral home after 4 p. m. Thursday.

MRS. ARTHUR SMITH

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Mrs. Arthur Smith of Lancaster Route 2. A former resident of near Adelphi, she was 60.

Survivors include four sons, Samuel, Merle and Leroy of Ashville and Charles of Duval; and a sister, Mrs. Ella Timmons of Circleville.

Plane Sighted

ATHENS, Dec. 22—A wrecked Czech airliner was sighted today on a rocky headland in the mountainous Peloponnese peninsula in Southern Greece.

The plane was believed to be one reported missing on a Rome-Athens flight, with 19 passengers and five crew members aboard.

CHRISTMAS 50-50 DANCE

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ternational tribunal which sentenced them to death.

No inkling of the date and the hour the doomed men would march to the gallows came from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.

Indications were that the Allied commander had issued the necessary execution orders last night.

Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, U. S. Eighth Army commander, conferred with MacArthur but would say only that he had received "certain classified instructions."

To his MacArthur's press information officer, Col. Marion P. Echols, added that "Gen. MacArthur gave Gen. Walker his instructions which tell the Eighth Army what to do."

Echols had said earlier that preparations for carrying out the death sentences handed down by an 11-nation tribunal would take 24 hours.

PREPARATIONS had been suspended pending the Supreme Court's action on appeals from the verdicts but were resumed when the high court refused to intervene.

There was no verification of any of the numerous speculative rumors swirling around the heavily-guarded gates of Sugamo prison where the four-trap gallows were made ready to receive the doomed warlords.

Not a single official hint was dropped. All officials connected with the matter were under the strictest orders to remain mum on every detail of the hangings until after the announcement that they had been carried out.

Sugamo's Buddhist chaplain entered the prison yesterday. It was not known whether he conveyed to the seven condemned men the news of the U. S. Supreme Court's final decision.

The Buddhist priest was assigned to accompany Tojo and his colleagues to the gallows.

Just before he climbed up to the gallows, Tojo learned that he'll be known after death as "the layman believer called everlasting light and life."

Buddhist Priest Nobukatsu Hanayama told Tojo his posthumous name during final rites

before a black and gold lacquer altar at Sugamo prison.
The full name Hanayama chose for the Pearl Harbor premier translates into English something like the following:

"THE LAYMAN believer called everlasting light and life who in mortal life was known as Hideki."

Hanayama is the priest of the Jodo Shin sect who claims to have converted Tojo from his Shinto emperor worship into true Buddhism.

Most Buddhist sects stress that the after-life is determined by one's every act during life.

But Jodo Shin Buddhism, the one Tojo embraced, promises boundless mercy and infinite compassion for all who believe in the Amid Buddha.

Jodo Shin is by far the most popular among Japanese.

It promises an after-life in the "pure land" even for sinners and criminals as long as they believe in Amida.

Courtright Will Name Children

The estate of Evalyn R. Courtright was bequeathed to her children in her will admitted this week in Pickaway County probate court.

Meanwhile, Judge Sterling M. Lamb approved Donald P. and Jesse E. Courtright as executors of the estate as requested in the will.

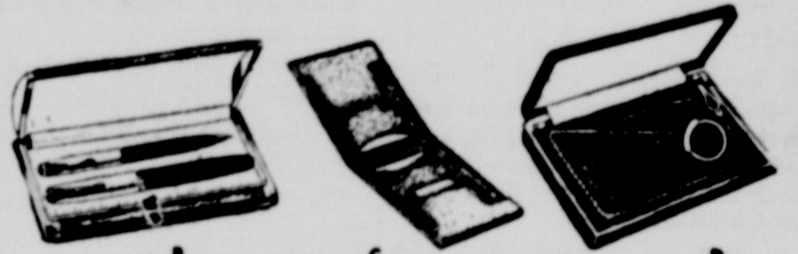
Mrs. Courtright wrote in her will that all money left for disposal is to go to the two executors of her estate and Anna C. Hedges and Mary C. Doherty.

Personal belongings were left to Helen C. Beck, Bertha C. Clellen, Constance and Michael Courtright, Sarah Jane Hedges, Barbara Courtright, Billy Courtright, Connie, Caroline, Donald P., Jesse E. and Mary Lou Courtright.

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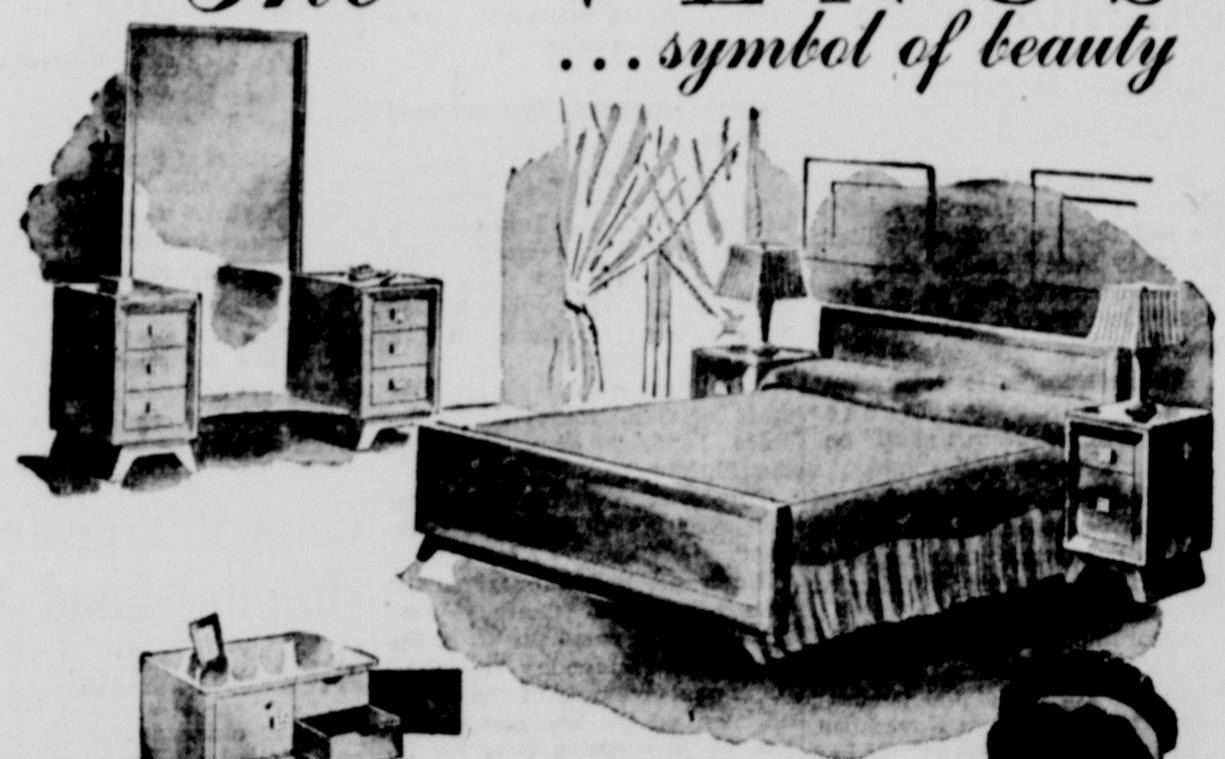


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CINCINNATI

Hollywood Is Making Hurricane

Florida Watches Artificial Storm

MIAMI BEACH, Dec. 22—Florida is prepared to withstand another hurricane, this time a synthetic one produced by Hollywood.

A Twentieth Century-Fox movie company consisting of 32 actors and technicians, two van loads of equipment and a few technical advisers have started shooting scenes in Miami Beach for the forthcoming production "Slattery's Hurricane."

The film stars Linda Darnell, Veronica Lake, Richard Widmark and John Russell, all of whom will be subjected to a barrage of artificial storm winds and accompanying rains before filming is completed.

The Hollywood company arrived after the official close of the Caribbean-Atlantic hurricane season.

A technician explained that to have made the picture during an actual Florida hurricane "would have been foolish."

Fred Etcheverry, who has charge of special effects for the movie said:

"WHEN WE GET through, our hurricane will look more like the real thing than any article nature can produce."

He explained that the driving rains will be generated by the blasts from six or seven Navy PBV patrol planes, whose engines will be gunned strong enough to permit the propellers to blow terrific streams of water dripping from a rain machine.

Outdoor scenes are being shot at the lavish Miami Beach estate of Guilford Hall—replete with palm trees, blue skies, curving driveways and multi-colored flowers.

"Slattery's Hurricane" is a story of the Navy's hurricane-hunting airmen and a group of dope smugglers.

Widmark—the laughing killer of "Kiss of Death"—plays the part of one of the dope smugglers and Russell is cast as a Navy flier. Just how Miss Darnell and Miss Lake fit in was not disclosed.

The technicians did promise, however, to make the hurricane appear more genuine than the one in "Key Largo," which drew laughs from Florida movie audiences.

Atlanta

John Stinson of Columbus, was in Atlanta from Thursday to Saturday, called by the death of his mother, Mrs. Daisy Stinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer Jr. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar White of Ashville. On Sunday, they enjoyed their Christmas Family Dinner at the Whites.

Mrs. Harry Donohoe, daughter Jane, Mrs. Ed Bonner and daughter Cynthia of Washington C. H., visited Friday night with friends in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peck and Palmer Peck of Clarksburg returned Wednesday evening from a visit in Daytona Beach, Fla.

Thursday evening, prayer meeting was held at the church, with memorial services in honor of Mrs. Daisy Stinson. Mrs. Vernon Huffman was the leader of the meeting.

Walter Hobbie of Wilmington College is at home on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Ater and family were Saturday shoppers in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ater and daughter Sandra of Columbus were Wednesday evening guests of Mrs. Earl Ater and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson of Xenia and Mrs. Mont Drake were Tuesday evening visitors of Mrs. Nellie Drake and daughter Joanne.

Robert Buck is a patient in Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus. During his absence, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Buck, students at Ohio State, and Donald Buck from Westerville are spending their vacations at home.

Miss Jean Creighton of Columbus and Ray Creighton of London spent the weekend with Mrs. Nellie Creighton and daughter Ellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and daughters Joie and Jeri were in Columbus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kempton had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Mr. and Mrs. David Cook of Charles Phillips, Herbert and Veryl Kempton of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. William Conway and son Robert and Miss Joanne Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Graves and children entertained Saturday evening with a neighborhood Christmas party. A covered dish supper was served and an evening of conversation and games

followed. An exchange of gifts was made. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard North and son of Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kearns, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Huffman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reisinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaffer had as their Friday guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills Jr. of Washington C. H. and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Wise cup entertained Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard North and son Powell of Mansfield were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kearns.

Miss Ann Betts of Chillicothe spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertus Bennett and son Billy of Circleville were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Donohoe.

A Christmas program was given Sunday evening at the church, when a group of Commercial Point girls and boys made up the chorus for the program. It consisted of readings and carols. Our pastor, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wetzel were given a pound shower of gifts by the congregation, to which he showed his appreciation and thanks. Members of New Holland and

Commercial Point also were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beverly and son Joseph William of Sabina.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Orr and daughter Patty were hosts Monday night to a birthday supper in honor of Charles W. Mills and

Mr. Orr. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills Jr. of Washington C. H., Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Mills, Mrs. Elsie Mills and Mrs. Bertha Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Matthews and Mrs. Dolly Ralph gave a Christmas party Saturday night for the Pitch Club. Awards were given Mrs. Joe Bush, Harry Don-

ohoe and Charles W. Mills. A lunch was served with Christmas decorations used. At the sound of "Jingle Bells" Santa Claus arrived to present many gifts to the host and hostesses and their guests who consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ackley of Mt. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donohoe, and Mander Irvin of Washington C. H., Willard

Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson of Xenia spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Mont Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Donohoe entertained Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Allen, Miss

Mildred Furness of Five Points, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Allen and son Roger Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Donohoe of Washington C. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mouser and son Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hiser and son Dick of Clarksburg and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Armstrong were Sunday afternoon visitors at Mr. and Mrs. James Willis'.

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OUTLOOK IS PROMISING

Austrian Peace Treaty Possibilities Improving

VIENNA, Dec. 22—Vienna, which poverty and war disaster have been able to efface as a focal point of world diplomacy, may provide a key to unlock the stalemate that for months has hampered normal relations among the Big Four nations of the world.

Disclosure that Soviet Russia has agreed to resumption of four-power negotiations for a final Austrian peace treaty has opened a wide field of possibility.

It is difficult indeed to separate German-speaking Austria entirely from Germany itself. Many of the interests of the two countries are closely related, despite the highly definite manner in which modern Austria has repudiated the "anschluss" or forcible annexation that Adolf Hitler thrust upon it in 1938.

Russia was the last of the four powers to signify willingness to renew the negotiations, which had been earnestly requested. The United States, Great Britain and France were quick to recognize legality of the demand.

THE OUTLOOK at the moment is entirely promising. A 4-sided agreement on Austria certainly would prove the ability of the Allies to recreate that atmosphere of cordiality and goodwill which contributed so tremendously to victory over Nazism and Fascism in World War II.

The case of Austria is especially important because of that country's very special position in the postwar world.

Immediately after the conflict ended, the Allies took a step that had absolutely no precedent in history. Despite the fact that Austrian soldiers fought with the Nazis, the Allies gave the nation as a whole a completely clean bill of health.

They ruled that Austria became part of Hitler's Reich only under compulsion. Austria therefore was not branded as an enemy or ex-enemy, except by Yugoslavia. She was given first priority in the drafting of peace treaties and little stress was laid on reparations.

Austria has asked that the renewed negotiations proceed with the ultimate object of restoring her full sovereignty as an independent nation.

This, of course, would involve withdrawal of occupational forces. Therefore Austria has made the corollary suggestion that she be permitted to maintain a token army of 50,000 men.

The Western nations, and now presumably Russia as well, recognize that postwar Austria has been singularly fortunate in its choice of leadership and the permanence of a government that has kept the country miraculously free of strikes and unrest despite their popularity elsewhere.

The Western nations in particular admire the way in which Austria, despite hardships, has kept its skirts clean of Communism.

7 Burglaries Laid To Man

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—A Columbus man, who police said admitted seven burglaries, was being held for questioning today on

charges of grand larceny and burglary.

Sgt. William E. Donner said Eugene Hamilton, 28, is being held in connection with nine thefts in the last two months. He said Hamilton has admitted

four of these at the Jerri-Bob Grill, from which he took about \$400, and the Beck Tire Service, where he obtained about \$200 and some tools.

In addition, he is charged with burglarizing a cleaning shop and a store.

Mudhens Buy Texas Hurler

TOLEDO, Dec. 22—The Toledo Mudhens of the American Association announced today the purchase of Rufus Gentry, for m.e.r.

Detroit Tigers' hurler, from Dallas of the Texas League.

The acquisition of Gentry was announced by Mudhen General Manager Bob Evans. The price paid for the pitcher was not disclosed.

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Cream Style, White LIBBY **27¢**

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Spanish Vacuum Pack KROGER PEANUTS 8-oz. can **23¢**

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Indonesia May Be Forced To Wait For Independence

PARIS, Dec. 22—The world's richest treasure house—The Dutch East Indies—today is a house divided by the struggle for independence and battered by war.

It's a fabulous land where the seasons are marked by east and west winds, and where the striving for independence became a whirlwind in which Japanese intrigue and Communism swirled around with nationalism.

Dutch explorers stumbled onto the great treasure 350 years ago when they went looking for spices. Along with spices they found rubber, oil, tin, gold, silver, coffee, tea, sugar and great forests.

The East India Co. took over and the Dutch have held tight control of the islands ever since, except for the three years the Japs ruled the area during World War II.

But like other great colonial powers, the Dutch have been unable to still the stirrings for freedom once the stirrings were enunciated in a loud clear voice.

That's true even in land to which anything but sarongs, singing and dancing seems foreign to those who have seen Indonesia through the eyes of a travelogue camera or a Dorothy Lamour movie.

JAVA and Sumatra, the islands of the East Indies string being contested by the Dutch and Republican forces, still have a strong, exotic Indonesian flavor even after 350 years of Western civilization.

The temperature hovers around 75 in the highland areas and about 65 or 70 in the lowlands, ideal for the exotic fruits and other food grown on the islands.

Many of the men have adopted European clothes—shorts or trousers.

But most of the women still

wear the long-time native costumes: A jacket and sarong, or a jacket and multi-colored cloth wound around the body from the waist down.

In peaceful times, almost any event—a birth or a marriage—is the occasion for a community-wide celebration in the small towns that dot the islands. That's the travelogue picture of Indonesia.

But there also is the side of depression, disease and illiteracy which has typified colonial areas, fertile ground for strong nationalist sentiments and agitation.

The Dutch easily put down the first revolt in 1910. They were not around to stop the second one until it had picked up a full head of steam.

The Japs' parting of revenge when they withdrew from Indonesia in August, 1945, was to consent to the proclamation of the Indonesian republic.

The Dutch attempt to reoccupy the islands after the Japs left was met by bloody republican resistance which has continued intermittently for three years.

There was a truce after the first year of fighting—in which the republic was given control of Java, Sumatra and Madura. In July, 1947, the Dutch pared the republican area down to the middle third of Java and 80 per cent of Sumatra, an area with

Roosevelt Plane Death Confirmed

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22—The deaths of Quentin Roosevelt, grandson of the late President Theodore Roosevelt, and 32 other persons in a South China plane crash were confirmed today.

A dispatch from the Hong Kong office of the Chinese National Aviation Corp. said all 33 passengers and crewmen perished when a C-54 Skymaster airliner plunged to earth and burned on Basalt island, north of the city.

The message stated that the 28-year-old son of the late Brig. Gen. Theodore Roosevelt Jr. was "among the dead."

Appeal Issued On TB Seal Sale

A final plea was made to Pickaway Countians Wednesday to make a contribution to the Christmas Seal fund for the fight against tuberculosis.

Robert Adkins, secretary of the Pickaway County Tuberculosis and Health Association, said about one-half of the \$3,200 goal has been met.

32 million of the 72 million people in Indonesia.

The fighting going on now is an outgrowth of an agreement reached Jan. 17, 1948, under which a sovereign united states of Indonesia was to be set up early in 1949.

The Indonesians have waited 350 years for independence. They may have to wait a while longer.

Laurelville

Parker Mayhew and Virgil Wiggins of Shelby were Saturday overnight guests of Mrs. Virgil Wiggins.

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Grattidge visited Thursday and Friday with his mother, Mrs. Ida Grattidge and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Steindorf of Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowers and Mrs. George Bowers were Columbus visitors Friday. Miss Ruth Bowers of Capitol University accompanied them home for her holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Spencer and children were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Karshner of Gahanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow West of Columbus and Miss Jane Grattidge of Toledo were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Grattidge.

Joe Elick moved Friday to the Sanford Price farm on Pleasant Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Patterson of Adelphi were Friday evening guests of Miss Maud Mettler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Orr of Columbus were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Reichelderfer of Columbus were weekend guests of Mrs. John Chilcote.

The Past Chief Club met Fri-

day evening in the home of Mrs. Winfred Dunn. Contests were won by Mrs. George Swepston, Mrs. Forest Wolf. Officers for coming year are: President, Mrs. Charley Lively; vice-president, Mrs. Clyde Becher; secretary, Mrs. George Swepston; and treasurer, Miss Anna Bowers.

Laurel Class met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Ed. Fetherolf with Mrs. Clyde Becher assisting. A reading on Christmas by Mrs. Ray Poling. Contests were won by Mrs. Charles Lively and Mrs. Lusing Rose. Elected as officers for coming year were: President, Mrs. Ed Fetherolf; secretary, Mrs. Irvin Kohler; and treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Hinton.

Low Beavers of Lancaster spent last week with Mrs. Nan Creiglow and Mrs. Mattie Millison.

The Ladies Bridge Club met

Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. George Swepston. High scorer was Mrs. Frank Cox, second, Mrs. Damon Pontious.

Gael Jinks of Lakewood is spending Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ola Jinks.

Mrs. Jean Shupe is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Young of Columbus and Mr. and Mrs. Malcon Shupe of Logan.

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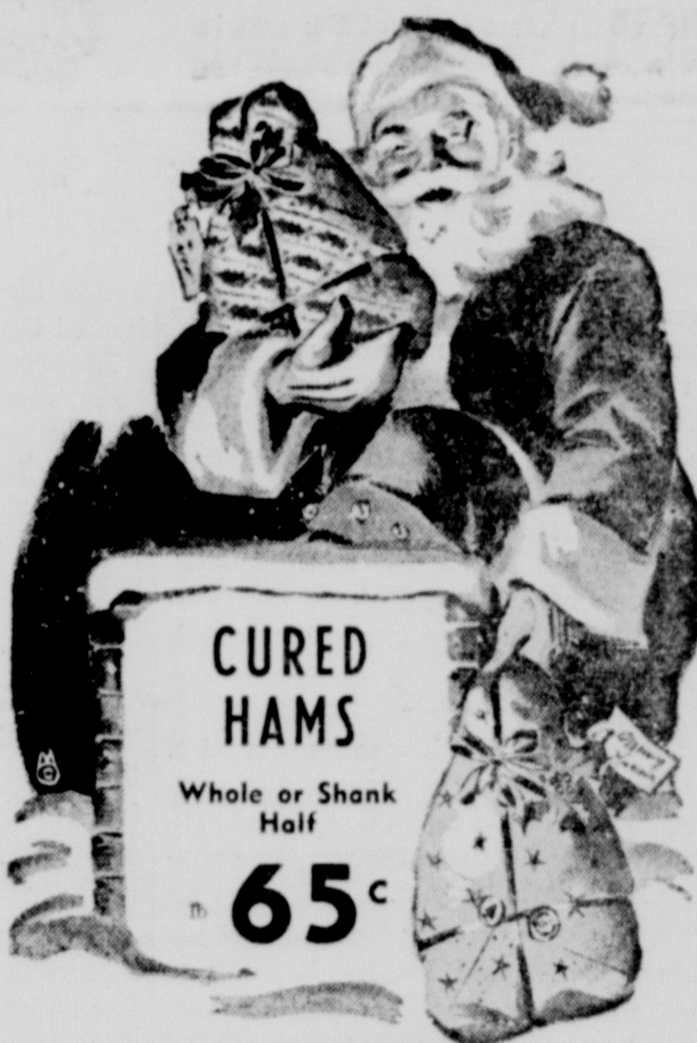
Round and T-Bone Steak	lb.	75c
Chuck Roasts	lb.	65c
Fresh Ground Beef	lb.	53c
Pork Chops	lb.	53c
Pork Steaks	lb.	51c
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Oysters	pt.	69c

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Celery		
Large Pascal	stalk	29c
Grapes		
Large California	lb.	15c
Cranberries	lb.	19c
Bananas		
Large Fancy	2 lbs.	35c

Cranberry Sauce	2 16-oz. cans	35c
Fruit Cocktail	big 2 1/2 can	45c
Golden Corn		22c
Kenny's Whole Kernel Sugar	No. 2 can	47c
Pure Cane Granulated Confectionery Powdered or Brown Sugar	5 lb. bag 2 1-lb. pkgs.	47c 23c

Mixed Nuts The Best	lb.	39c
English Walnuts	lb.	43c
Kenny's Fancy Custard		25c
Pumpkin Maxwell House—Regular or Drip	2 big cans 1 lb.	25c 56c
Coffee		
Marshmallow Creme	pint jar	23c
Best Quality Pure Egg Noodles	1 lb. cello bag	27c
Ken Down Cider Vinegar		15c
Fancy Prepared Table Mustard	qt.	17c
Royal Anne—Heavy Syrup		
Sweet Cherries	No. 1 can	35c



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Peanut Brittle	lb.	35c
Chocolate Drops	lb.	39c
Hard Mix	lb.	35c
Peanut Clusters	lb.	49c
Gum Drops	lb.	29c
Orange Slices	lb.	29c

Fancy Pitted Dates	7 1/4 oz. pkg.	25c
After Dinner Mints	lb.	29c
Marshmallows		
Fresh	10 oz. cello pkg.	15c
Jello Assorted Flavors	3 boxes	22c
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:—: Social Happenings-Personals-News of Interest to Women :—:

Mr., Mrs. Paul Turner Host Magic Sewing Club At Holiday Event

Men Entertained At Cooperative Meal

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turner were hosts to members of the Magic Sewing Club and their husbands for a Christmas party Tuesday evening in their West High street home.

Guests of the club for the holiday affair were Mr. and Mrs. George Neff, A cooperative supper was served in the hosts' diningroom from a table decorated with Christmas appointments and lighted tapers.

In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Gladden Troutman, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lozier, Mr. and Mrs. Neff, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arledge, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Skaggs and daughter, Mary Lou, and Nelson Stevens.

A gift exchange took place around the Christmas tree. Games were played with prizes won by Mrs. Neff, Mrs. Turner, Barr and Arledge.

Mrs. John Grubb, who was unable to attend, was remembered with a gift. Mrs. Wolf invited the women to meet Jan. 3 in her home.

Calendar

WEDNESDAY
FIDELIS CHORUS OF FIRST EUB church, rehearsal, Christmas caroling, party, in the parsonage, 326 East Main street, evening.

WESLEY-WED CLASS OF First Methodist church, Christmas caroling, meet at church, 7 p. m.

THURSDAY
PAST PRESIDENTS CLUB OF Daughters of Union Veterans, in the home of Mrs. C. O. Kerns, 158 West Union street, 7:30 p. m.

TRAILMAKER CLASS OF CALVARY EUB church, evening, Christmas caroling.

CHILD CULTURE LEAGUE, children party, 3 to 5 p. m. in First Methodist church.

SUNDAY
ADULT CLASS OF CHURCH OF the Brethren, Christmas play in the church, 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY
ORDER OF EASTERN STAR, family night cooperative supper, in chapter rooms, Masonic temple, 6:30 p. m.

Darbyville WSCS Has Holiday Meet

Christmas party of Women's Society of Christian Service of Darbyville Methodist church was directed by the president, Mrs. Lillian Hott. The program consisted of selections appropriate to the season. Mrs. Mento Thomas accompanied the group at the piano when carols were sung.

Gifts were exchanged by Mrs. Hott, Mrs. J. Wetzel, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Lillian Brigner, Mrs. Mary Powell, Mrs. Nora Beatty, Mrs. Elizabeth Downs, Mrs. Jane Heeter, Mrs. Jennie Calvert, Mrs. Ethel Miller, Mrs. Jennie Beatty, Mrs. Ernestine Dudeson and Mrs. Lydia Neff.

Dinner Marks Holiday Event

Employees of Barnhill's Dry Cleaning company were entertained to dinner Tuesday evening in Wardell Party Home.

Places were set for Mr. and Mrs. Mace Overly, Mr. and Mrs. William Carter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beck, Mrs. Luther Walters, Miss Lottie Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Siegwald, Wilton Sowers, Miss Mary Alice Huffer, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Barnhill and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnhill Jr. Following dinner the group adjourned to the Elliott Barnhill home on North Scioto street.

Children Feted By Holiday Event

A Christmas treat and musical program was given for children of Williamsport school district by American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and organizations of the school.

Gifts were distributed by "Santa" to approximately 400 children. Entertainment consisted of selections by a glee club, two piano numbers by Yvonne Gibson, and a recitation by Mary Moore. Mrs. J. H. Sudlow lead group singing of carols.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnhill of North Court street are spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla. They are registered in the Lucerne hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shasteen have returned to their Elm avenue home after visiting with their sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Glick of Tiro and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leeper and son of Gahanna.

Mrs. Lucille Haswell Wood of Cleveland and Mrs. John T. Haswell of Lakewood are expected Friday to spend the holidays with their mother, Mrs. George R. Haswell and uncle, J. T. Kirkendall of West Mill street.

Mrs. Lillian Hott and Mrs. Jennie Calvert of Darbyville have been recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hott of Orient.

Miss Annette Thomas, student at Wilmington College, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas of Darbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long of East Franklin street plan to leave Friday for Wellston where they will spend Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowers and family.

John Boggs, of Ohio State university, is home for the holidays with his father, John G. Boggs, and sister, Margaret, of West Union street.

David Yates, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Yates of Circleville, who is attending an auto institute in Flint, Mich., is spending the holidays with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton S. Robb of Marengo, Ill.

Mrs. Horace Gilmore and two daughters, Nancy and Frances, of Ann Arbor, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hulse Hays, of North Court street. Mr. Gilmore is expected for Christmas weekend. They also will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Gilmore of South Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerns, Mrs. C. O. Kerns and Miss Lucille Kirkwood of Circleville were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thomas of Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerns and Mrs. C. O. Kerns of Circleville, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thomas of Lancaster and Mrs. Harry Dreisbach of Pickaway Township spent Tuesday evening in Xenia. They attended an all musical program arranged and directed by Clifford Kerns, formerly of Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wiloughby of East Water street have their son, Richard, for their holiday guest. Richard is on leave from Great Lakes naval station.

Class Plans Feting Children

Plans were completed by Good Samaritan Class of Church of the Nazarene to go Thursday to Pickaway County Home to distribute Christmas gifts to the youngsters there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moats of North Pickaway street were hosts for the class meeting Tuesday evening.

The pastor was presented a gift from the class. Mrs. Moats was elected secretary-treasurer and head of the flower fund. Twenty-three persons attended the meeting.

Christmas Baskets Readied By Group

Donations of canned fruits and vegetables are being taken by members of the local WCTU organization this week to Circleville City Cottage for distribution in Christmas baskets.

This announcement was made when the group booked a Christmas party and gift exchange for Dec. 29 in the home of Mrs. Ralph Long of East Franklin street.

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Meal And Gifts Feature Grange Holiday Meeting

Robert Delong, master, presided at the meeting of Saltcreek Valley Grange Tuesday evening following a cooperative supper. Holiday greetings were read from Mr. and Mrs. Turney Glick.

"Santa" distributed a treat to the Grangers and gifts. W. E. Luckhart lead group singing. Judson Boecher directed a program dealing with "Fire Preventions." Dwight Rector Jr., accompanied by his mother, sang a solo. Two contests were conducted for the juveniles.

Resolutions of respect were read for the late George Jury. Delong appointed O. S. Mowery, Elmer Strous and W. E. Luckhart to serve on the auditing committee.

DUVs Conduct Holiday Session

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War have placed their traditional wreath at soldier's monument in Forest cemetery. This announcement was made Tuesday when the group met in Memorial hall, with Mrs. Irene Jenkins in the chair for the business hour.

Mrs. O. C. King presented Mrs. E. L. Tolbert, department inspector, and Mrs. Jenkins, president-elect of District 6 with gifts from the local tent.

Gifts were exchanged around a decorated Christmas tree. Sprigs of greenery were given each person by Mrs. H. G. Baum of the Ashville community. A candlelight service was arranged and conducted by Mrs. Tolbert, tent patriotic instructor. Mrs. King related the story of "The Birth Of Christ."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Cora Coffland, Mrs. Frank Webbe, Mrs. James S. Carpenter and Mrs. Bausum. Decorations were arranged by Mrs. Tolbert, Mrs. James Trimmer and Mrs. W. E. Pickens.

The marmots are rodents of the ground-squirrel family.

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- Chocolate Filled Peanuts 45c lb.
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- 50% Filled Candies 35c lb.
- Peanut Brittle 35c lb.
- Old Fashioned Horehound Drops 35c lb.
- Chocolate Drops 28c lb.
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COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—Ohio farmers are saving thousands of dollars a year by having their soils tested and knowing what fertilizer treatments are needed, and what farming practices to follow to increase crop yields.

Every day hundreds of soil samples come into the soil testing laboratory in Townshend Hall on the campus of Ohio State university, and as regularly recommendations go out to the farmers who sent them in.

This soil testing prevents the wasting of many hard-earned dollars for soil treatment materials that may do the soil little or no good.

Dr. F. J. Salter, extension agronomist, in charge of soil testing work, reports an increasing interest on the part of Ohio farmers. As evidence he points to the figures which show that during the first nine months of this year he and his assistants tested around 16,000 samples, as compared to an average of 11,000 samples a year over a 10-year period.

Soil testing is one of the services provided by the department of agronomy and the extension specialists at the university. No charge is made for the work.

A COMPLETE examination of all samples submitted is made and the extension agronomists then make recommendations as to the methods of management, including the use of both fertilizers and lime, needed to give the most efficient and economical production on each type of soil.

In making his recommendations for soil management, the agronomist relies not alone on the laboratory tests; he interprets these tests in the light of long-time results from field experiments at Ohio Experiment Station, together with the experiences of successful farmers.

Salter emphasizes the importance of the farmer taking a representative sample of the soil he wishes tested, and supplying information relative to the cropping system followed, the previous handling of the soil and any peculiar problems of the area.

Byron Janis Is Cited As Coming Master

Byron Janis, 20-year-old piano wizard who appeared in Circleville during last year's community concert series, has received two distinct honors recently.

According to information received by Mrs. George W. VanCamp, 650 North Court street, the youthful musician was successful in his debut in Carnegie Hall Oct. 29. In addition, Musical America magazine carried a photograph of Janis as its November cover.

The magazine's music critic declared that Janis' name "must be entered on the list of first-line pianists of the coming generation. All the essential factors of genuine success are seldom combined in a 20-year-old performer. We shall be calling him a great artist one of these days."

Manitoba lake, in the Province of Manitoba, Canada, is about 125 miles long, about 25 miles wide, with an area of about 1900 square miles. It abounds in fish, and its shores are resorted to by sportsmen for moose, deer and wild fowl.

Stoutsville

Pythian Sisters of Cypress Temple held their Annual Christmas party Wednesday evening. The dining room was decorated with candles and cedar. Those present were Mrs. Edna Lyons, District and Host of Washington C. H., Mrs. Gertrude Marion and daughter, Anna of Amanda, Miss Evelyn Reichelderfer, Helen Root, Thelma Brown, Nellie Campbell, Hazel Harvey, Bertha Valentine, Leona Rife, Meriam Lynch, Viola Rife, Florence Valentine, Helen Reichelderfer, Anna Ankins, Etta Hoffman, Kathryn Wynkoop, Sarah Stein, Mary McColland, Eloise McColland, Elsie McColland, Esta Heigle, Nora Valentine, Rebecca Crites, Bessie Rife, Atha Reichelderfer, Flossie Dresbach, Myrtle Hill and Mary McCollister.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCracken and daughter of Newark were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Karr and son Dale and daughter, Marlene left Sunday for a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crites at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Norma Jean Knecht of Chillicothe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Starling Knecht and family.

Mrs. Marvin Rife and son, Terry Dean and Mrs. Sarah Stein called Saturday evening, on Mr. and Mrs. Mac Young and daughter, Ginger of Circleville.

Miss Martha Drake of Columbus spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Drake. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conrad of Circleville were afternoon callers at the Drake home.

George Valentine and mother were Circleville business visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berle Miesse and son, David of Columbus were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miesse.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Greene of Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. H.

Teachers Meet With Parents

John Chilcote, president of Circleville Teachers' Association, Tuesday evening met with Norbert Cochran, temporary head of a group of parents seeking to form a parent-teacher organization.

The meeting was to iron out details paving the way toward an official meeting between the two groups. At the last meeting of interested parents, a suggestion was forwarded to Chilcote that he appoint two representatives from the four schools units here to confer with the parents' group.

This meeting probably will be held early in January.

G. Marshall of near Stoutsville were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Meyers left Monday to spend Christmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Milroy at Maywood, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Conrad of near Lancaster called Monday on his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stein.

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Teen Tips

What goes on? Latest rumble of dissatisfaction comes from high school girls, boys and teachers. For once they all agree, and it's about high school dances.

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1—Girls complaint — Boys go to school dances without ties and coats. The girls are right that this is socially incorrect, poor taste and bad manners. Why? Because dances are social events, meant to be different from classes. As such they should call for a complete outfit including jacket and tie. Girls should also wear suitable clothes—a dress-up dress, not a classroom sweater and skirt. If you're dressed right, you're more likely what's what, socially all your life.

2—Boys' complaint—Girls de-

mand orchid corsages. The boys are right that this is too much expense for average boys. Nowadays fathers can't always buy orchids for mothers, so certainly can't afford to give sons orchid-money for their dates. It's also too much to expect a boy to spend that much earned money on orchids in addition to the other expenses of the dance. Girls have no right to "demand" any kind of corsage. It's merely a nice gesture made by the boys and entirely up to them and their pocketbooks.

3—Teachers' complaint—Boys leave their partners on the middle of the dance floor instead of escorting them to the sidelines at the end of each dance. After

Holdup Suspect Shot By Cop

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—A Columbus detective shot and wound-

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ed a holdup suspect last night when the man broke and ran while being questioned on the street. William Hampton, 27, was treated in St. Francis hospital for a lacerated scalp before being taken to city prison for investigation of armed robbery. Detective Kenneth Anderson said he was questioning Hampton about two taxicab stickups when the man fled.

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Gum Drops..... lb.	29c
Chocolates Candelight Assorted.... 2 lb. box	\$1.39
Peanut Clusters Cream Filled..... lb.	53c
Candy Canes..... each	10c
Chocolate Cherries Hardie Fancy..... 8 oz. ctn.	49c
Pecans Paper Shell..... lb.	39c

Chocolate Drops Creamy, Rich Centers..... lb.	39c
SALAD DRESSING Gold Seal..... 16-oz. jar	31c
PEACHES Merritt, Yellow Freestone..... No. 2 1/2 can	25c

Marshmallows Recipe Brand..... 10 oz. bag	17c
Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray..... 2-16oz. cans	35c
Peaches Eavey's White Nectar.. No. 2 1/2 can	39c
Mince Meat Eavey's Moist..... 18 oz. jar	31c
Jello Gelatin or Pudding..... 3 pkgs.	23c
Asparagus Country Colonel..... No. 2 can	36c
Peas Eavey's Fancy..... No. 2 can	19c
Tomatoes Spring Garden..... No. 2 can	23c
Flour Cream Velvet..... 10 lb. bag	87c
Evaporated Milk Green Pastures..... 2 tall cans	25c
Olives—Dove Brand. Plain..... No. 7 1/2 jar	25c

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Juicy, Christmas size Floridas..... doz.	27c
Tangerines Large 150s Size..... doz.	27c
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The Family.

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COSTUME JEWELRY is possibly the most popular gift for the young lady or miss of today. A pin or clasp often makes an otherwise plain outfit attractive costume. Some dresses are made especially for jewelry accompaniment. See the list of costume jewelry that L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers are showing this season.

ITS THE LITTLE things that count, so they say and for the busy housewife who enjoys working in her kitchen concocting delicious meals a series of small kitchen utensils would please her very much. Cooking forks, knives, spoons, spatulas, cookie cutters, small pans and numerous other small inexpensive things that are a boon to good and easier working conditions you may get at Harpster and Yost Hardware.

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Lucille Stokes Upperman, the defendant, whose place of residence is A. 12 Union Court, Pontiac, Michigan, will take notice that Glen Dewitt Upperman has filed his petition against her for divorce and equitable relief in Case No. 19957 of the Common Pleas Court of Pickaway County, Ohio and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 6th day of January 1949.
Emmitt L. Crist
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
No. 15662
Estate of James George, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that Robert V. George whose Post Office address is Circleville, Ohio has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of James George, late of Pickaway County, Ohio, deceased.
Dated this 8th day of December, 1948.
STERLING M. LAMB,
Judge of the Probate Court
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Dec. 8, 15, 22.

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DAD'S EYESIGHT may not be as 'good as it once was' and his reading light may be a little obsolete. Why not give him a new lamp? Mason Furniture have Aladdin table lamps from \$6.95 up, all of which would be wonderful gifts. Aladdin floor lamps are priced \$22.50 and up. Other floor lamps in stock are priced as low as \$14.95.

IF HE IS THE EXECUTIVE type he will need a Parker pen and pencil set from the L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers. \$18.75 to \$28.50.

Gillman Accepts UC Job

Army Aide Reverses Field Last Minute

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22 — Line Coach Sid Gillman of West Point did more than a military about face today in accepting the head coaching job at the University of Cincinnati.

Yesterday, the former Ohio State university star, whose two-platoon system of coaching made Miami university at Oxford able to whip opponents she'd never considered before, was on the record with a rejection.

Gillman, who will succeed Ray Nolting, said he'd stick with Earl Blaik.

Then UC Athletic Director Charles Nibleham read a telegram which showed a neat field reverse. The message from the 37-year-old Gillman said:

"I have just been able to obtain my release from the U. S. Military Academy. I am happy to accept the University of Cincinnati head coaching position in accordance with the terms you offered."

Those terms will do a lot to keep Gillman's four children in breakfast food. They include an eight-year contract at \$10 thousand per annum and the right for Gillman, a native of Minneapolis, to choose his own assistants.

GILLMAN, at West Point for only one season, takes over from Nolting, thrown out two weeks ago by a unanimous vote of the UC directors, after the Bearcats' worst season under his four-year tutelage. Gillman is expected to be on his new job shortly after Christmas.

Before he went to West Point, Gillman helped pioneer the double offensive-defensive team system beginning in 1944 at Miami.

Leaving the Ohio State team he captained in 1933, he played pro ball for the Cleveland Rams and then bounced back and forth as assistant coach at Ohio State and Denison universities until he went to Miami to help Stu Holcomb in 1942.

The Mazatec is a tribe occupying the districts of Teatitlan and Tuxtepec, in Oaxaca, Mexico. They are noted silk raisers and have many curious beliefs and taboos in connection with the tending of the silkworms.

Last Minute Shoppers

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Pickaway Tops BIS '5' 49-32

Pickaway Pirates basketball team invaded at Lancaster Boys Industrial School Tuesday to swamp the host club by a final 49-32 count. The Tuesday win was the 22nd in as many starts in regular season play for the Pirates.

Pirate Coach Robert Seward yanked his starting varsity five after the first period of play when it posted a 29-2 score over the BIS'ers. The subs continued to hold the opposition, although ending with only the 17-point margin.

Ned Wolfe of Pickaway was high scorer in the tilt with a total of 19 points while Team-mate Hewitt Harcourt and BIS Center Birt tied for second place with 10 points apiece.

The host reserves team garnered the preliminary tilt by besting the Pirate juniors 31-29 in the opener.

Pickaway is to enter a four-team basketball carnival at Hamilton Township next Tuesday and Wednesday. Other teams participating will be the host Hamilton team, Mt. Sterling and Liberty Union. Two games a night are on the carnival schedule.

Following is the box score of the Tuesday encounter:

Pickaway	G	F	T
Harcourt	4	2	10
Wright	3	0	6
McAfee	0	2	2
T. Wolfe	1	1	3
Gifford	1	1	3
N. Wolfe	9	1	19
Sharrett	0	0	0
F. Rhoades	1	0	0
N. Rhoades	0	0	0
Totals	21	7	49
BIS	G	F	T
Harris	0	1	1
Williams	3	2	8
Flanagan	1	0	2
Bates	1	1	3
Birt	4	2	10
Jordan	2	1	5
Przelawski	0	0	0
Myer	0	0	0
Benedict	0	0	0
Lawrence	0	0	0
Totals	12	8	32

Score by Quarters:
Pickaway 26 31 37-49
BIS 2 12 25-32

Referee—Neff
Reserves—BIS, 31; Pickaway, 29.

Monroe Bows To Hamilton

Monroe Indians basketball team bowed 43-31 to an invading Hamilton Township quintet Tuesday in a non-league encounter.

The Indians paced head and head with its visitors in the first two periods of play, trailing by one point in the first frame and knotted the score at 18-all at halftime.

However, the Hamilton attack, spearheaded by Gail Mannin who racked up 12 points in the match, surged ahead in the third canto by seven points and added another five in the final stanza.

Bob Bowsher of Monroe reaped high scoring honors in the fracas with a total of 16 points.

Monroe reserves provided some consolation in the evening's play by trimming the Hamilton juniors 39-33 in the preliminary.

Following is the box score of the varsity tilt:

Hamilton	G	F	T
Crabtree	2	3	7
Shoemaker	0	0	0
Schlegel	1	1	3
Osborne	3	2	8
Manning	6	0	12
G. Lockett	4	2	10
Cannon	0	1	1
R. Lockett	0	0	0
Totals	17	9	43
Monroe	G	F	T
Bowsher	7	2	16
Sims	2	1	5
Terfingler	2	1	5
Kerns	0	0	0
Rivers	0	0	0
Saunders	1	0	2
Brigner	0	0	0
Alcure	0	0	0
Totals	12	7	31

Score by Quarters:
Hamilton 8 20 31-42
Monroe 7 16 22-31

Referee: Hughes and Ballo
Reserves—Monroe, 39; Hamilton, 33.

Big 7 Cagers Bow In Garden

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 — The basketball prestige of the Big Seven was dented today by two defeats inflicted by Metropolitan quintets in Madison Square Garden last night.

In the featured frame, City College nosed out Oklahoma, 53 to 51, on Norm Mager's rebound tap with only three seconds of play remaining.

Underdog City College had to come from behind to upset the Sooners after a ding-dong first half. At half time, Oklahoma led 28-26.

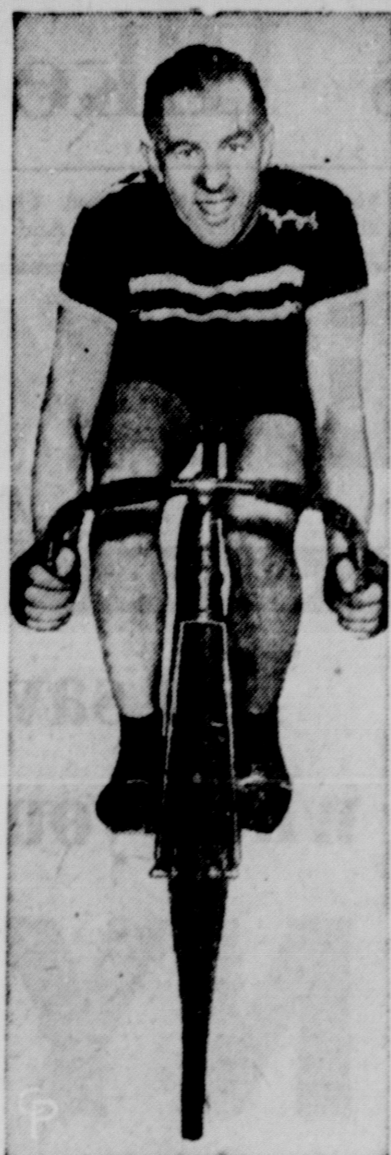
The opener was a dull affair in which Iowa State never did get started. Dick McGuire, with 15 points, sparked the St. John's attack.

Black To Leave Hospital Soon

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22 — Don Black will be home for Christmas.

The Cleveland Indians' hurler, confined to Charity hospital the last three weeks following a brain operation, will be permitted to leave the hospital tomorrow.

The surgery was performed to remove a weak spot in an artery in Black's brain. The weak spot caused the Tribe right-hander to suffer a cerebral hemorrhage while at bat during a September game with the St. Louis Browns.



TORCHY PEDEN, the biggest name in bike racing for many years, has decided to call it quits. Torchy has won many six-day races in his career. (International)

Good Hope '5' Trips Atlanta

Atlanta Red Raiders bowed before an invading Good Hope quintet Tuesday night to lose out 42-26 in its non-league encounter.

The Good Hope aggregation swept onto the court to post a first period lead of two points, never lessening the margin throughout the remainder of the tilt.

Glenn Picklesimer of Atlanta and Good Hope's Anderson tied for high scoring honors in the fracas with 12 points apiece.

Atlanta reserves tripped Good Hope subs in the preliminary by a 37-34 count.

Varsity box score follows:

Good Hope	G	F	T
Anderson	5	2	12
Tellenberg	2	0	4
Braden	4	1	9
Wallace	2	0	4
Stroley	1	2	4
Johnson	3	1	7
Davis	0	0	0
Totals	18	6	42
Atlanta	G	F	T
Zimmerman	4	0	8
Picklesimer	2	0	4
Blankenship	2	0	4
Long	3	3	9
Houser	0	0	0
Turner	0	0	0
Totals	12	3	26

Score by Quarters:
Good Hope 8 20 31-42
Atlanta 6 16 26-36

Referee—Miller and Dean
Reserves—Atlanta, 37; Good Hope, 34.

Mansfield Relays Due In April

MANSFIELD, Dec. 22 — The 18th Annual Mansfield Relays, one of the outstanding scholastic track meets in the nation, were scheduled today for April 15 and 16 in Mansfield Stadium.

Harry Mehoch, track coach of the Mansfield Tigers and relays director, predicted that the 1949 entries would exceed those of any postwar year. Last year, 65 schools and 949 individuals competed. The meet was won by Springfield, 1948 track and field state champion.

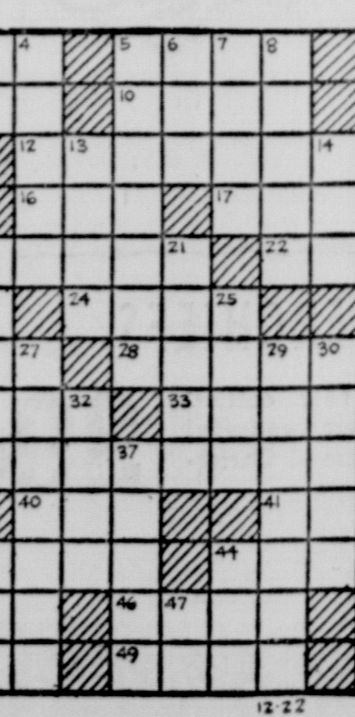
Some earthworms in Australia grow 10 to 12 feet long and are three-quarters of an inch wide. The average length, however, is three or four feet.

Crossword Puzzle

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| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1. Grasslands | 1. Officer serving as go-between |
| 5. Cease | 2. An age |
| 9. Jot | 3. Preposition |
| 10. Weary | 4. Glossy-surfaced fabric |
| 11. Kettle | 5. Highways |
| 12. Very violent storm | 6. Metal |
| 15. Sloth | 7. Verbal |
| 16. Fish | 8. Foot-lever in organ |
| 17. Mandate | 11. Couples |
| 18. Inhabitant of an island | 13. Excess of changes |
| 22. The (Fr. article) | 14. To be in debt |
| 23. Render turbid | 19. One who lies |
| 24. Let it stand (Print.) | |
| 26. Edible mollusk | |
| 28. Ascend | |
| 31. Foray | |
| 33. Top | |
| 34. Music note | |
| 36. A rush of horses | |
| 38. System of chronology | |
| 40. Attempt | |
| 41. Unit of weight (abbr.) | |
| 42. Flemish painter | |
| 44. Favorite animal | |
| 45. A row | |
| 46. Bellow | |
| 48. Consumes | |
| 49. Trays for carrying bricks | |

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ARTAS AISNE
RIG ASPIC
G BUBLE BAIT
MINUTES USE
SNORES BED
ISER
SPIN GRAVAT
NOT MORISAE
OR MARSHUA
ATTEND BEG
TAINT ABATE
SLEDS NMASS

Yesterday's Answer
37. Gum-resin in perfume
39. Melody
43. Encountered
44. Cushion
47. Hawaiian bird



12-22

Nebraska '5' Hands Reserve 83-80 Defeat

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—Only two games were played last night involving Ohio college basketball teams—one turning out a thriller, the other a chiller.

Western Reserve connected consistently against Nebraska's towering Cornhuskers, but fell short by three points, 83-80, of winning. Bus Whitehead and Claude Retherford connected for 27 and 24 points, respectively, to pace the Cornhuskers.

Reserve held a 46-44 halftime lead, but the six-foot, nine-inch Whitehead took over the second half, completely controlling the backboards along with his six-foot, six-inch teammate, Bob Pierce. Retherford counted 23 of his 24 markers in the first half.

Slim Jim Cochran and Dom Venetta, former Warren scholastic star, popped in 22 points apiece for the Red Cats.

The Bowling Green-South Carolina clash went according to schedule, the Beegees waiting off to an 83-54 win all by themselves. The Falcons two giant centers, Charley Share and Mac Otten, netted 16 and 15 points apiece.

Dayton travels to Morris-Harvey in the feature of tonight's slim schedule.

Ashville's Clean Slate Smeared

Ashville's previously undefeated Broncos traveled to Canal Winchester Tuesday night and absorbed a 56-44 defeat.

Trailing its foe all the way, Ashville was unable to stem the host team's rush. The Broncos trailed by four points at the end of the first quarter and that was the best they could do.

Herb Pettibone was Ashville's mainstay with 14 points. In the scoring column, he trailed Canal Winchester's Morehart who collected 19 points.

Box score follows:

Ashville	G	F	T
Glick	4	3	11
Pettibone	5	4	14
Parsons	0	2	0
R. Heise	1	1	2
Neff	0	4	4
Shuck	1	2	4
Snyder	2	0	6
Wilson	1	0	2
Totals	14	16	44
Canal Winchester	G	F	T
Cherry	1	1	3
Hanners	0	2	0
Morehart	8	3	19
Miller	4	1	9
Wolfram	4	1	3
Fowler	0	1	1
Totals	22	12	56

Score by Quarters:
Canal Winchester 15 28 40-56
Ashville 11 19 27-44

Referee: Boyd, "Red" Trega
Reserves—Ashville 24, C. Winchester 18

Browns After Backfield Men

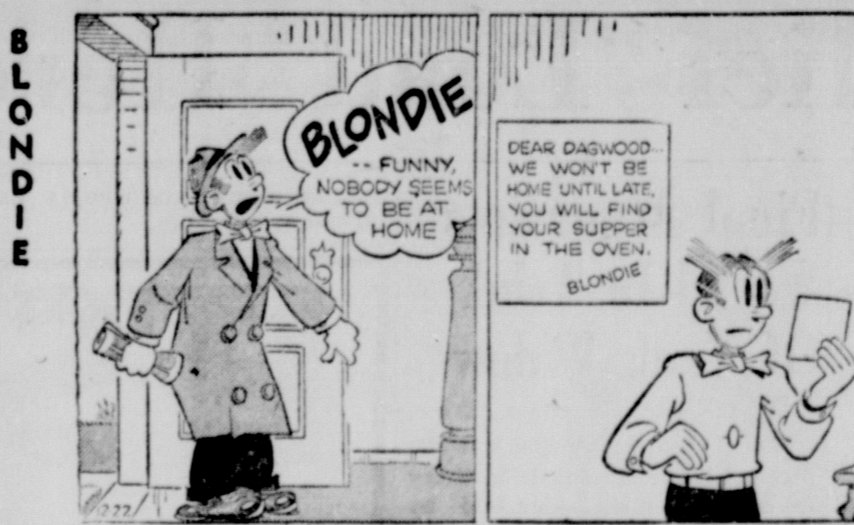
CLEVELAND, Dec. 22 — The Cleveland Browns are in the market for backfield men, or so it would appear.

All four Brownie selections in the All-America Conference draft meeting yesterday were backs, each of whom gained outstanding recognition during the 1948 season.

The first choice of the AAC champs was Doak Walker. All-America halfback from Southern Methodist. Next the Browns picked Bobby Jack Stuart of Army and Gene Derricotte and Dick Hemphorn of Michigan.

Walker probably will not be available next year since he still has another season of college eligibility. Stuart also presents something of a question-mark as far as next season is concerned. It is reported he may pass up pro ball for an Army career.

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November Relief Load Here Shows Hike Over October

109 Cases On County Aid List

\$5,516 Paid Out By Local Office

November caseload and expenditures marked a slight increase over corresponding figures for the previous month of October, according to the monthly report released by Pickaway County relief office.

Mrs. Dorothy Gerhardt, acting relief director, said the caseload jumped from 105 in October to 109 in November and expenditures from \$5,156.78 to \$5,516.44, an increase of \$359.66, she reported.

County relief officials point to discontinuation of \$300 appropriation from the Tuberculosis fund.

Previously \$300 was earmarked from the fund to assist county relief in the purchase of classes for school children. Under the new setup, all the expense falls on the relief office, Mrs. Gerhardt said.

Of the total relief cost in November, \$2,484.16 was spent for Cincinnati recipients and \$2,827.21 for county beneficiaries. City City relief costs in October were \$1,975.52 and \$2,946.18 in the county.

THE RELIEF director said the expenditures are increasing now that seasonal workers—farmers, contract workers, canners—are off regular employment lists.

The 109 cases in the November files is made up of 45 family cases, 52 one-person recipients and 12 receiving medical and hospital care. Of the 105 caseload in October, 48 are family cases, 48 one-person cases and 9 medical and hospital care recipients.

During October, 18 new cases were opened by the county relief office and 18 old cases were terminated. In November 31 new cases were opened and 27 old ones closed out of the files.

Following is a breakdown on November relief expenditures:

Work relief—\$76; food—\$2,058.25; fuel—\$172.02; clothing—\$88.01; rent—\$153; medical—\$459.35; hospital—\$1,487.06; care—\$797.73; and miscellaneous—\$19.95.

October relief expenses follow: Work relief—\$88; food—\$1,941.90; fuel—\$121.36; clothing—\$407.16; rent—\$178.75; medical—\$381.53; hospitalization—\$1,071; and care—\$732.

Rene Lalique was a French jeweler and decorative artist who was born in Ay, Marne, in 1860. He established a workshop where he originated and executed artistic designs in precious stones and metals. His work was in great demand.

Ashville

Mrs. Harry Rhodes is confined to White Cross hospital as a result of a three-car collision on the West Spring St. Bridge, Columbus, Sunday evening. Her husband was not injured when an approaching car skidded into the Rhodes auto. Mrs. Rhodes suffered facial cuts and a broken heel.

Miss Violet McDowell, University of Cincinnati nursing school, is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. McDowell.

A combined elementary and high school Christmas program was given at the Ashville school Wednesday morning. Between 1 and 2 p. m. the school band paraded through downtown Ashville playing familiar Christmas music. Following the band concert, gifts were exchanged in the various rooms. School was dismissed until Monday, Jan. 3, 1949.

Final Arguments Waged In Trial Of Yank Widow

MARBURG, Germany, Dec. 22—Mrs. Wilma Ybarbo was described by the prosecution today as a cold-blooded killer and by the defense as a wife driven to desperation by her husband's sordid philandering.

The conflicting portraits of the attractive Malden, Mass., widow were drawn by the prosecution and the defense at the close of her trial before a U. S. military tribunal on charges of killing Sgt. John Ybarbo in a bedroom brawl.

Both sides prepared to sum up the evidence presented by soldier friends of the slain sergeant and German frauleins, some of whom admitted intimacies with him.

The defense closed its case after one fraulein, Anne Marie Nolte, told of working in the Ybarbo household while she was pregnant with the soldier's child. She testified that he beat his

wife on many occasions and threatened her life.

But the prosecution relied on year-old son's admission that she killed her husband. And it pointed to a statement by an Army criminal investigator that said, "I am not sorry."

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